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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
KAZUHITO KURITA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: BLOUIN, M.  
SERIAL NO: 10/550,562 :  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 26, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2627  
FOR: RECORDING MEDIUM DRIVE :  
DEVICE, ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT  
HAVING THE RECORDING MEDIUM  
DRIVE DEVICE, AND RECORDING  
MEDIUM CARTRIDGE

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 24, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.